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Applicants: Adrian Buckley, et al.

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Communication

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 23, 2012 WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 23, 2012 in the above-identified application, the Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Response in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination. The changes made are shown by underlining the added text and striking through or double-bracketing the deleted text.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the **Specification** begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 9 of this paper.